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**For:** METHODS AND DEVICES FOR  
EVALUATING BEAM BLUR IN A  
CHARGED-PARTICLE-BEAM  
MICROLITHOGRAPHY APPARATUS

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The following printing errors were noted in comparing the printed patent with the papers in the attorneys' files:

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In the Specification:

Column 4, lines 31-32, "angle of convergence angle." should be --angle of convergence-- (application, page 6, line 20).

Column 13, line 64, "µm's." should be --µm.-- (application, page 23, line 2).

Column 15, line 13, "micro lithography" should be --microlithography-- (10/9/03 Amendment, page 3, claim 1).

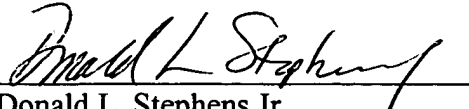
Column 16, line 46, "charted" should be --charged-- (10/9/03 Amendment, page 5, claim 10).

A Certificate of Correction is enclosed to make formal notice of the errors in the referenced patent. Our check in the amount of \$100.00 is enclosed.

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It is certified that errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

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